

## Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 16.

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## LOCAL MATTERS

For this section generally fair, slightly warmer weather, winds generally southerly.

## Potomac Baptist Association.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The association reconvened at 2:30 yesterday evening.

The report on ministerial education was presented by Rev. I. M. Mercer. The subject was discussed by Hon. J. Taylor, Rev. Dr. Ryland and Rev. Dr. Pollard, of Richmond.

Dr. Cooper, of Fauquier county, then presented the report on the ministers' relief fund. The subject was discussed by Capt. R. L. Cooper, Rev. Samuel M. Athey and Rev. T. B. Shepherd.

At night Rev. F. R. Boston presented the report on foreign missions. Addressees were delivered by Rev. Mr. L'Anson, of Norfolk, Rev. George W. Quick, Rev. T. B. Shepherd, Rev. S. M. Athey, Rev. Dr. Ryland and Rev. Dr. Broadus.

TO-DAY.

Before the assembling of the association this morning a meeting was held in the interest of the establishment of a Baptist female college within the bounds of the Potomac Association. Stirring speeches were made by a number of delegates and visitors, and there was much enthusiasm. The matter was referred to the acting board of the association.

The regular session opened at 10:15, the Moderator, Dr. Lake, in the chair. After singing and prayer the minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The committee on order of business made its report and it was adopted.

The report on home missions was read by Rev. Mr. Athey, who made a most impressive speech in presenting the report. He was followed by Rev. T. B. Shepherd.

Rev. F. R. Boston made an eloquent address on the mission in Cuba, giving the most interesting details of the work now in progress under the distinguished native missionary, Dr. R. Marks were made by Rev. A. T. Lynn and Rev. Dr. Pollard.

At 11:45 the introductory sermon, from Galatians vi, 10, was preached by Rev. W. F. Dunaway, of Middleburg. The theme was "Christian Benevolence."

After the sermon the usual announcements were made and a recess was taken till 2:30 o'clock this evening.

PERSONAL.—Dr. Bechtel has removed his office and residence from 209 south Washington street to 303 King street.

The Atlantic City Review says: "A lively party of young men from Washington and Alexandria, Va., who know how to enjoy themselves are making things lively at the Grand House. The party consists of August Brill, M. P. Green, Daniel Rocca, Albert Dreifus, Jacob Brill and Robt. Wenzel. Mr. Walter R. Faulkner, of Loudoun, is visiting Miss Norris, on Prince street."

Mr. Henry Fairfax, of Loudoun county, left yesterday for New York, whence he sails on Saturday next for a few months' tour of England and the continent.

J. Taylor Ellyson, esq., mayor of Richmond, is in the city.

Miss Tillie Meyenberg, Mrs. M. H. Strausberger and Mr. Morton Strausberger, from Baltimore, Md., are visiting Miss H. Geizberger.

Miss A. Genzberger is spending the summer at Oregon Springs, Pa.

The Rev. Douglas Hooff, who resigned his charge at Sussex last month, has left Virginia to take a church in Detroit. At present he is at Saratoga, where he went to recuperate before entering on his new duties. A reception was given last evening at Muckras, the residence of Col. Arthur Herbert, to Mr. John Mason and bride.

Miss Lee, mother of Gov. Lee, who has been in Georgetown for the past month under care of Dr. Marmon, is now on Seminary Hill, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Cooper.

Messrs. A. W. Armstrong and J. S. Fowler have returned from a trip through New York.

Mr. F. G. Bell, formerly of this city, but now of Savannah, who for some time past has been business manager of the Morning News of that city, has recently been elected business manager of the Macon Telegraph.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Edridge are at Melrose, Fauquier county.

The Misses Nurse left this morning for New Jersey.

Mr. H. C. Emerson has gone to Rockingham Springs.

Capt. Geo. Mays and family are spending a few weeks in Annapolis county.

THE NEW SCHEDULE NOT SATISFACTORY. The new schedule on the Manassas Branch of the Midland railroad, which went into effect on Monday, and by which the train which formerly left here at 2:55 p. m. now leaves at 4:05, does not meet with the approval of the citizens living along that road and numerous complaints have already been made of the change. People living at the upper end of the road say the train now reaches their stations after dark, making it very inconvenient for them and for those who live any distance back in the country, and they fear that when winter sets in and the days become shorter, it will be so late in the night before the train arrives that they will be a day late in getting their mails, &c. It is said that a petition will be sent to the officials of the road requesting them to run the trains as they were before the change. The people living along the Manassas road never have been satisfied since the up train was changed from a morning to an evening train, but now they say it is a night train and the recent change has been decidedly for the worse.

TERIBLY KICKED.—It was stated in yesterday's GAZETTE that a boy named Pat Murphy, of this city, had been severely kicked by a horse in Fairfax county. It appears that Murphy was driving a wagon and when going down a hill, about five miles southwest of this city, a part of the running gear broke, frightening the horse and throwing the driver from his seat.

Murphy fell near the horse's feet and was fearfully kicked by the frightened animal, one of his ears being almost cut off, his throat cut, his jaw broken in several places and the back of his head terribly mashed. He was brought to the house of Mr. Peter Fulman and later to his home on upper Prince street, in this city, where he is being attended by Dr. Purvis, there he is but slight hopes of his recovery.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear and warm, with three prisoners and one lodged at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

A young man, arrested by officer McFuen, charged with assault and battery, was fined \$1.

Ben Henderson, colored, arrested by officers McFuen and Simpson, for assaulting and beating Wm. Gray, also colored, was fined \$3.

The Manley, arrested by officer Henry, charged with stealing a watch from Robert Manley, had his case continued.

A PERPETUAL PASS.—The Virginia Midland Railroad Company has forwarded to Miss H. E. Alexander, of Lewisburg, Pa., a perpetual pass over that road, and a purse of \$250 for her services in relieving the sufferings of those who were injured in the Fat Nancy trestle accident some time ago. The passengers have presented her with a \$500 watch and chain. Miss Alexander was a passenger on the ill-fated train.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

A new slate roof is being put on St. Paul's Church.

The Virginia republican association of Washington, composed of colored men, held a meeting last night and adopted resolutions urging the nomination of Col. D. A. Windsor for Congress in the Eighth district. A committee consisting of J. H. Harris, R. S. Singleton, W. H. Nelson and J. W. Fountain were appointed to notify Col. Windsor of the action taken and request his consent to be a candidate.

A party of ladies from Seminary Hill and one of the Seminary students while on their way to Langley on Sunday were upset in the stream near that place, and though no bones were broken, "Sunday clothes" suffered material damage.

The building at the southwest corner of King and Fairfax streets is being repaired and fitted up in handsome style, and will soon be occupied by the Mount Vernon Insurance Co. of this city.

A family who left Jacksonville a few days since, though full of yellow fever, is now residing in the western part of the city.

This has been another hot, sultry day, the mercury again registering 94.

A meeting of the City School Board will be held to-night.

Mr. Louis Brill receives daily from Norfolk a supply of as fine and well-flavored oysters as are usually seen in mid-winter. These he received to-day were really excellent.

## The Babies Cry for It.

And the old folks laugh when they find that the pleasant California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, is more easily taken and more beneficial in its action than bitter, nauseous medicines. It strengthens the Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, and Bowels, while it arouses them to a healthy activity. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

Dr. K. of P. ATTENTION.—All Knights interested in the formation of a section of the Endowment Bank are requested to meet at Oriental Lodge room Friday evening, Aug. 17. aug15 3t

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## PREPARE FOR WINTER.

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Occoquan, Va.

## LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On the morning of August 14, a MALTESE KITTEN, with a white breast. Any one returning it to the owner will be liberally rewarded. Mrs. A. M. ELLIS, No. 213 south Fairfax street.

## PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A GREEN HOUSE AT ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY, VIRGINIA.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., August 14, 1888.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to annual conditions, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon THURSDAY, September 13, 1888, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of attending bidders, for the ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A GREEN HOUSE at Arlington National Cemetery, Va., in accordance with plans and specifications and other data, which can be obtained upon application at this office, or of the Superintendent of Arlington National Cemetery, Va. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Building Green House at Arlington National Cemetery, Va." and addressed to the undersigned.

G. B. DANDY, Lieut. Col., Dep. Quar. Gen., U. S. A., Depot Quartermaster.

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TWO HOUSES AND LOTS corner of Queen and Fayette streets, which rent for \$6 each per month.

TWO HOUSES AND LOTS corner of Patrick and Queen streets, which rent for \$6 each per month.

ONE HOUSE and LOT on Henry street, between Duke and Wolfe streets, which rents for \$5 per month.

ONE HOUSE and LOT on Prince street, between Alfred and Patrick streets, which rents for \$10 per month.

This offer will only be open for 30 days, and persons desiring to purchase a bargain will call at the office of the company, No. 102 south Fairfax street.

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HORSE AND CARRIAGE FOR SALE.

A fine Horse and Carriage, in good condition, for sale on reasonable terms. Apply at this office.

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FOR RENT—One of the most desirably-located RESIDENCES in the city, fitted with gas, water and all modern conveniences. Address S. GAZETTE office.

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THOMAS A. BROADUS.

FOR RENT—A DESIRABLE THREE STORY BRICK STORE on the south side of King street, between Royal and Pitt, lately occupied by Mrs. E. C. Bradley. Possession will be given Sept. 1. Apply to

PAUL PULMAN,

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No. 728 south Washington st.

THE NINETEENTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE VIRGINIA STATE DENTAL ASSOCIATION will be held in the High School Building, Staunton, Va., beginning WEDNESDAY, August 22, 1888, at 9 o'clock a. m. Tickets will be sold by the Virginia Midland Railway Company from all stations on that road on the 20th, 21st and 22d, good to return till the 27th, at five cents a mile one way.

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PRIME CHEESE received to-day by

J. C. MILBURN,

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SIGHT RESTORED BY A LIGHTNING FLASH.—The Wolverhampton correspondent states that during the heavy thunder storm of Tuesday a collier named Bates, who had lost his sight through an accident, was being led home, when a flash of lightning was reflected on the spectacles he was wearing to conceal his disfigurement. After the peal of thunder which followed he complained of pain in his head. The next moment, to his surprise, he found that he had regained possession of his eyesight. The occurrence has caused considerable excitement in the locality.—London Times.

Marshall Field is said to be worth \$150,000, and to be the richest man in Chicago. He began his business career as a clerk in Potter Palmer's dry goods store. Now he owns a dry goods store that cost him \$1,000,000 to build, and a stable for his horses four stories high, and covering half a block. Mr. Field is only fifty-six years of age, and he still continues in active business, superintending all his affairs himself. Mrs. Field is well known in Chicago as a patron of music, and she has been of substantial assistance to many a struggling singer.

A RUMORED DUEL.—News has been received here that the little town of Ivor, in Southampton county, was greatly excited on Tuesday over a cowardly administered by Col. W. H. Hood to Mr. Walter Bain. It is stated that Mr. Bain had made remarks derogatory to the character of one of Col. Hood's daughters, and that the Colonel, meeting Bain, proceeded to administer the chastisement. It is further reported that yesterday Col. Hood and Mr. Bain, accompanied by friends, went in the direction of Berlin for the purpose, it is said, of fighting a duel, but telegraphic inquiry failed to elicit a confirmation of this rumor.—Petersburg Index-Appal.

## STEAMERS.

## STEAMER J. W. THOMPSON.

SUMMER AND WINTER SCHEDULE FOR 1888 AND 1889.

Commencing Monday, June 25, 1888.

First-class 50c. Second-class 35c.

Steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY at 8 a. m. from Reed's wharf, Alexandria, for RIVER LANDINGS. Returning Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, making all river landings.

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40 BBLs. ROE HERRING.

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ALSO A FEW BARRELS AND HALF

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Miss M. L. ROACH.

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## MUSIC AND LANGUAGES.

I shall resume instruction in MUSIC and MODERN LANGUAGES at Alexandria on September 5th, 1888. Those desiring to take lessons will please leave their names at Mr. Geo. E. French's bookstore. Best references. Respectfully,

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EMIL LUDWIG SCHARF.

Professor of Languages and Music.

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